

**IOWAccess Council**  
**First Year Hosting Funding Request**  
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**Amount Requested:** \$3500.00

**Project Name:** ICAB Online - 10222  
**Project Sponsor:** Richard Moore – Iowa Child Advocacy Board  
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**Project Summary**

The ultimate result of this project is expected to be improved safety and permanency outcomes for abused and neglected children being served by Iowa's child welfare system. Project-specific expected result is the development and implementation of Iowa Child Advocacy Online.

Operational improvement results are expected to include:

- a general public accessible website that promotes public awareness of child advocacy issues and includes a volunteer recruitment application and training functions
- a secure website accessible to ICAB staff, volunteers, DHS, Court and other officials designed to facilitate a variety of information exchanges to reduce reliance on paper-based information exchanges and retention practices
- the establishment of a centralized ICAB program operations data system that allows real time updating and accessing by all local offices
- business logic to control the security, storage, backup, and flow of data between office staff, volunteers and the general public
- ICAB capacity to facilitate and participate in future service oriented architecture initiatives and other multi-agency efforts to enhance the coordination and usefulness of data systems with connections to Iowa's child welfare system.

**First Year Hosting Activities and Deliverables include:**

- Register URL <http://childadvocacy.iowa.gov>
- Transfer completed public facing website content to Production web server environment
- Install Content Management System for ICAB staff use for updating content